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AGRA	1907	200	C. Heasman	13th March.

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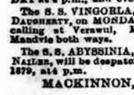

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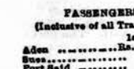

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Jaffa	390	270	195	
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Cyprus	450	330	230	
Messina	500	360	250	
Naples	560	440	280	
Leghorn	540	440	270	
Genoa	560	440	280	
Marseilles	650	520	325	

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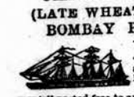

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(c) MONGOLIA	2933	530	A. Golmen	10th do.
SURAT	3141	530	G. C. Burne	17th do.
(c) PEKIN	3777	600	W. Woolcott	24th do.
VENETIA	2726	450	C. G. Perrins	3rd March
(c) MALWA	2933	450	P. S. Tomlin	10th do.
SUMATRA	2488	450	W. A. Seaton	17th do.
(c) MIRZAPORE	3763	600	A. Parish	24th do.
CATHAY	2982	450	R. D. Dundas	31st do.
(c) NEPAUL	3836	600	J. S Murray	7th April.
TRAVANCORE	1900	350	W. Berratt	14th do.
(c) HYDASPES	2984	450	D. Kennoldson	21st do.

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TANJORE	2263	450	W. W. Fentiman	28th Feb. 1879
SIAM	3014	500	G. N. Hector	28th March.
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J. M. BOYD, Major,
For Executive Commissariat Officer, Presidency.
Bombay, Ex. Commissariat Office, 25th January 1879.

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NOTICE.—The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS of the BOMBAY COTTON TRADE ASSOCIATION will be held at the Offices of the Chamber of Commerce, on TUESDAY, the 4th day of February 1879, at 2 o'clock p.m.

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RIENZIE WALTON,
Honorary Secretary.
Breach Candy Swimming Bath Committee.
Bombay, 27th January 1879.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

SATURDAY EVENING, 25TH JAN. 1879.

ALTHOUGH our present report is for the last mail in January, we have still to report upon dull, dragging markets, the New Year having brought little relief as yet to the depression that has characterised the trade of this port for so long.

Matters at Home show decided signs of improvement. No great activity is reported in any branch of trade, but cheaper money has engendered what appears to be a more healthy tone all round, and most of the leading markets for Eastern Produce are reported to be steady. Cotton, although cheaper for American descriptions than it was a week ago, has shown increased firmness in Surats, and with the unprecedently small shipments now going forward, it seems probable that prices will be fairly maintained, for a time at all events. This can be accounted for by the fact that Spinners who have used this description of Cotton, dare not give it up altogether and substitute low American, owing to the difficulty which invariably occurs in inducing the "hands" to recommence working Surats, after they have become accustomed to the more favoured long-stapled Cotton. That there is any real strength in the Market, however, we still decline to believe. Piece Goods in Manchester keep steady, and with the present low rates of the raw material, we are given to understand that the trade is working to a small profit. The Markets for Seeds in London and on the Continent are maintained at about previous rates. Coffee is again dearer, and Cocoanut Oil, although slightly easier, is very steady, and the price still rules very high. Consols, after advancing to £96¾, are quoted at the close at £96, and French Rentes have advanced to Fcs. 114¾. A rapid rise has taken place in Bar Silver, of which large shipments to the East have been advised.

The posit on of our markets at the close can only be described as stagnant. The prices of ready Cotton rule high owing to its continued scarcity and the consequent difficulty that arises in settling contracts for January loading, but there is little enquiry for forward delivery. Linseed is steady. Rapeseed dull. The purchases of Wheat are still exclusively confined to those for local consumption. Gingellyseed continues in good demand. The Import Markets show little signs of improvement. Our local Spinning and Weaving Mills continued in the same unsatisactory condition, with large stocks for which there is next to no demand. Our Freight Market, in the absence of supplies of produce, is depressed; steamers are offering, and sailing ships have been fixed for March-April loading at very low rates. Sterling Exchange keeps firm with an upward tendency. Government Paper is dull, both here and in Calcutta. Money is again dearer. Shares show some signs of improvement.

At the weekly biddings for Council Drafts on India, which took place in London last Wednesday, the full amount of £400,000 was allotted, of which £250,000 were for Calcutta and £150,000 for Bombay. The minimum rate on Calcutta was 1s. 7⅛d., at which 21 per cent. was allotted, and on Bombay 1s. 7 7-16d., at which the allotment amounted to 48 per cent. The average rate on the former place was 1s. 7·46d. and on the latter 1s. 7¾d. or an advance of about ⅛d. on last week's sale. The amount advertised for sale next Wednesday is again £400,000. Bar Silver in London is of a steady unmistakable firmness and advanced from 50¼d. to 51d. per oz. Shipments of the Metal are advised to the extent of £450,000 for Bombay and £140,000 for Calcutta.

MONEY.—The return of the Bank of Bombay for the week ending on the 18th inst. showed a material reduction in the Cash Balance, which now stands at 83¾ lacs The reduction is owing to heavy withdrawals of both Government and other deposits. The Directors at their Board meeting on Wednesday last consequently again raised the rates of interest and discount one per cent all round. These now stand at 7 per cent. on Fixed Loans on Government Deposits, 8 per cent. on Demand Loans on similar securities, and 9 per cent. on Mercantile Bills. The large shipments of Silver to the East reported from Home will, no doubt, go far towards easing our Money Market. Besides these we shall have Council Drafts, of which the weekly supply of £400,000 is ample for the present trade requirements of the port, if it were not for the tightness of money arising from the distrust which will prevail in the Bazaar.

EXCHANGE.—Our closing quotations for Sterling show an advance of 1-16 per Rupee on those of last mail day. Business opened for the mail on Tuesday last with an easier feeling, and buyers at 1-16 decline on the previous day's quotation. On Wednesday, as usual little was done pending the news of the allotment of Council Drafts. On Thursday when it was known that the sale had been made at an advance on last week's rates, our Market hardened, and has remained very steady until the close. We quote as follows:—Bank Bills on demand, 1s. 7 21/32; 6 months' sight, 1s. 8¼. Credits, 3 months' sight 1s. 8 1-16d.; 6 months' sight 1s. 8 5/16d. Documents 4 months' sight 1s. 8¼d.; 6 months' sight 1s. 8¾d. On Paris the rate for 3 months' sight Mercantile Bills is France 2·12; and 6 months' sight 2·14. For future delivery a larger business has been done this week, and considerable sales have been effected of 3 months' sight House Bills for March delivery at 1s. 8¼d per Rupee. Ready Bills, however, continue scarce, as shipments of produce are still very small and are likely to continue so for the next three or four weeks.

On Calcutta rates show some advance during the week. Demand Draft being quoted at the close at Rs. 100 1-16 and 60 days' sight Bills Rs. 98¾.

On China the quotation for 60 days' sight Mercantile Bills is still Rs. 217 per 100 dollars.

From Hongkong the latest telegraphic quotation for 6 months' sight Bank Bills on demand is 3s. 8¾d. per dollar; and from Shanghai 5s. 1⅝d. per tael.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES have been weak throughout both here and in Calcutta, and close at Rs. 93¾ to 93¾ for Fours, and Rs. 99¾ for the Four-and-a-half per cent. Loan.

SHARES.—The depression which we reported last week continued for two or three days after the mail left, but latterly, the feeling in the Market has been decidedly steadier, and the shares of some of those Spinning and Weaving Companies, which have been the most ill-used by recent occurrences, show signs of improvement. Bank shares are firm, Bombays having advanced to Rs. 677½ and Agras to Rs. 130. In Spinning and Weaving Companies Alexandras are quoted at Rs. 45 against Rs. 40 last week, Colabas Rs. 90 against Rs. 25, Fleming Rs. 35 against Rs. 15, and Nurseys Rs. 35 against Rs. 8. The shares of the Dhurumsey, Prince of Wales, and Victoria have also advanced. Press Companies Bravs have advanced Rs. 10 and Mofussils Rs. 30 per share. In Land Companies Colabas have advanced to Rs. 790. In Miscellaneous shares those of the Bombay, Burmah Trading Corporation have lost Rs. 10, Landing and Shipping Company, of Karrachee, Rs 10, Prince of Wales Insurance Company, Rs. 50, and Treacher and Co., Rs. 10 per share.

PIECE GOODS.—Our Market keeps fairly steady with an increased demand in the Bazaar for Grey Goods at former rates, the off-take having amounted to about 1,000 or 1,200 bales; but from offices there is still little enquiry, and sales are only reported of about 300 pieces. For White Goods there is also a better enquiry, the chief demand during the week having been for Manchester Doria Stripes, a large quantity of which are reported to have been placed at Rs. 1-2 to Rs. 1-6 per piece, and for Low White Mulls and Tarjibs there is also more demand. Dyed Goods do not attract much attention, but there is a considerable enquiry for low ¾ Turkey Red Cambrics. Favourite styles of White Ground Prints are passing in the Bazaar, but all other kinds are neglected. Turkey Red and Dyed Twist are dull, and forced sales are reported of the latter at 10¼a. per lb. Local manufactures are very dull of sale, and no business has been reported in them during the week.

TWIST.—The sales reported of Grey Yarns during the week have been insignificant. There are buyers at 40-, net weight T. R. Twist of established dyes at about Rs. 1-1 to Rs. 1-1½ per lb. In Local Spinnings no business is reported, and the China Markets which have hitherto been a great outlet, are reported to be overstocked.

METALS.—*Copper*.—No transactions have been reported during the week, and prices are unchanged. *Yellow Metal* is steady at previous rates. *Iron* is very dull.

COALS.—The transactions of the week are confined to retail sales of ready lots, and no cargoes to arrive have been reported to have changed hands. Prices are unchanged.

COTTON.—The Liverpool Market continues very steady with a good demand from the trade, which has taken 66,000 bales out of a total of 64,000 bales sold during the week. Mid.-Orleans, after a temporary advance to 5¾d., is again quoted at 5 9-16d. per lb., but Surats are 1-16d. per lb. higher, the quotation for Fair Dhollerah being now 4¾d. per lb The business in Bombay has been confined almost exclusively to the settlement of contracts for New Comrawuttee for January delivery, about which much difficulty has been owing to the lateness of the Crop. For February and March delivery very little has been done, as buyers, as a rule, are holding out in anticipation of lower rates hereafter, but sellers are willing to accept a decline of Re. 1 to Rs. 2 per candy on our last quotations. The sales of ready Cotton during the week amount to about 3,000 bales, of which about 700 bales have been for local consumption. Accounts of the Dholleras Crop are on the whole satisfactory, and we may look for an average yield. Of Broach the Crop is expected to be of good quality, but deficient in quantity. The Comrawuttee crop is undoubtedly a short, as well as a late one. Comptas promises well, but of Sawginned Dharwar only a small yield is looked for, as in many places the Crop is said to be almost a failure and only half an average outturn of the district is expected.

The *Receipts* from up-country for the week ending on the 25th instant are 13,146 bales, against 10,248 bales last week, and 24,692 bales for the corresponding week last year. From 1st September the total now stands at 111,546 bales, against 196,429 bales in 1878 and 212,263 bales in 1877.

The *Clearances for Sea* since last mail left have been 9,955 bales, making a total of 17,229 bales since 1st January, against 29,113 bales for the same time last year and 42,896 bales in 1877.

The following are to-day's quotations for full pressed Cotton with the equivalent in Sterling, Cost, and Freight to Liverpool via Canal without Commission:—

Old—				
Dholleras Good Fair		Ready	....	Rs. 170 = 4 9/16d.
Comrawuttee Fully Good Fair		„	.... „	176 = 4 11/16d.
New—				
Comrawuttee Good			.... „	200 = 5 5/16d.
Do.	Fully Good Fair	„	.... „	195 = 5d.
Do.	Good (Feb. delivery)		.... „	194 = 5d.
Do.	Fully Good Fair	„	.... „	189 = 4 15/16d.
Hingunghaut	„	ready	.... „	220 = 5 15/16d.
Do.	„	(Feb. delivery)	.... „	218 = 5 15/16d.
M. G. Broach	„	ready	.... „	210 = 5½d.
Do.	„	(March delivery)	.... „	207 = 5 7/16d.
Dhollera	„	(April delivery)	.... „	185 = 4 15/16d.

For LINSEED there has been a good demand during the week, and the price has in consequence further advanced 1 to 2 annas per cwt., the quotation now being Rs. 6-5 per cwt. In New Seed no business has been reported, but the nominal quotation is Rs. 6-4 per cwt. Crop accounts are again not quite so favourable.

In RAPE-SEED we have not heard of a single transaction during the week. Supplies of ready are very small, and dealers are holding out for high rates. Of new for forward delivery there are no sellers. We quote for ready Gujrat Rs. 6-14 per cwt.

GINGELLY SEED has been in good demand throughout the week, and prices are higher as supplies are still moderate, owing to a block on the Railway between Cawnpore and Jabbalpore. We quote Rs. 38 to Rs. 41¼ per candy according to quality.

OF WHEAT there are still no available supplies, and reports of the next season's crop are far from encouraging. The nominal quotations are: Rs. 41 for White, Rs. 39 for Mixed, and Rs. 37 per candy for Red.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LIST.

BANKS.

Bank.	No. of Shares.	Nomi. Value p. sh.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash Rates per Share.
		Rs.	Rs.	p. a.	
Agra Bank	100,000	100	all	6 p. ct	130
Bank of Bengal	40,000	500	all	4 do	705 xd
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	12 do	677½
Bank of Madras	60,000	500	all	3 do	640
National Bank of India.	37,320	£25 £12-10		6 do	108

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Albert Mills	400	2,000	1,700	—	50
Alexandra S. and W. Co.	2,250	415	all	25 p.s.	45
Alfred Mills Co.	250	1,000	1,000	50 p.s.	900
Alliance Spinning	500	2,500	all	55 p.	1,300
Anglo-Indian S. and W. Company	80,000	100	100	2 p.ct	60
Bhownuggur M. and P. Company	300	2,000		40 p.s.	900
Bombay United	900	1,000	all	35 p.s.	750
Bombay Hemp and Jute Mill Company	2,000	500	all	15 p.s.	65
Broach Mills	1,800	120	all	10 p.s.	4
Colaba S. and W. Co.	900	1,000	all	25 p.s.	90
Coorla S. and W. Co.	1,000	1,000	all	30 p.s.	750
Dhurumsey Spinning Company	2,500	500	all	30 p. s.	560
Empress S. and W. Co.	3,000	2,000	all	35 p.s.	450
Fleming S. and W. Co.	3,750	500	all	40 p.s.	35
Great Eastern	1,400	1,000	all	20 p.s.	800
Hindustan S. & W. Co.	875	1,000	all	30 p.s.	800
Hydrabad S. and W. Co	700	1,000	1,000	..	600
Jeeraj Hadjee Mills	750	1,000	all	35 p.s.	650
Kamatchi Spinning	750	1,000	all	50 p.s.	725
K. Muconjee S. & W. Co.	1,000	1,000	all	50 p.s.	575
Maharaj Spinning	300	1,250	all	Nil	600
Madras U. Spinning, Manchester & Bombay S. and W. Co.	80,000	50	50	..	20
Mandvie S. and W. Co.	1,200	500	all	25p.s.	90
Manockjee Petit's	2,500	1,000	all	40p.s.	1,050
Morarjee Spinning	1,043	1,000	all	30 p.s.	950
Massoon S. and W. Co.	2,000	5,000	..	..	175
National S. and W. Co. of India	950	1,000	all	30 p.	650
Neriad S. and W. Co.	400	1,000	all	—	10
Nicol Press Manufacturing Co., Ld.	600	2,000	all	..	30
Nursey S. and W. Co.	2,500	400	all	10 p.s.	35
Oriental	1,000	625	all	25 p.s.	605
Princess of Wales Spinning	600	1,350	all	75	325
Sassoon S. & W. Co.	1,500	1,000	all	25 p.s.	775
Soondercas Spinning	650	1,000	all	75 p.s.	500
Spinning Co. do. ½ Share.	500	1,000	250	125 p.s.	185
Sholapore S. and W. Co.	500	1,000	all	20 p.s.	725
Victoria Mills	550	1,000	all	25 p.s.	500

* For Share for the half-year.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE AND LISTS OF PASSENGERS BY SEA.

THE BARQUE CHATTANOOGA, 526 tons, Captain G. Freeman, will sail to-day for Galle, in ballast.

THE S.S. CERVIN, 1,241 tons, Captain R. Taylor, sailed on Saturday last for Elephant Point, in ballast.

THE S.S. BENARTY, 1,119 tons, Captain J. Patte, sailed on Saturday last for Diamond Island, in ballast.

THE BRIG SULTAN, 108 tons, Nacods, will sail to-day for Negapatam with a general cargo, and 35 deck passengers.

THE S.S. COLUMBIA, 1,322 tons, Captain W. S. Young, sailed on Saturday last for Genoa and Marseilles, with a general cargo.

THE S.S. PEARL, 366 tons, Captain H. Klee, sailed yesterday for Coast and Cutch, with a general cargo, and the following passengers:—H. H. Candy, General; Jangut Jung Bahadoor and three Begums, and 120 deck passengers.

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THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s s.s. VINCORLA, 315 tons, Captain R. Dougherty, will sail to-day for Katywar Coast and Kurrachee, with a general cargo, and the following passengers:—Mr. D. M. Lobsee, Mr. G. R. Taylor, Mr. W. Lee, Lieut. Col. E. M. Cherry, and 171 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. Co.'s s.s. SOCOTRA, 1,240 tons Captain E. G. Flower, sailed on Saturday last for Coast and Cutch, with a general cargo, and the following passengers:—Revd. Mr. and Mrs. Napleoh and infant, Mr. Wismann, Miss Haug, Mrs. Fairclough, and seven deck passengers.

THE SHIP BUCKINGHAM-HIRE, 1,465 tons, Captain F. W. Massey, arrived in harbour on the 25th inst. from London, 26 th September, with a cargo of 15,900 bundles and 9,910 bars iron, 50 cases piece goods, 1,765 pieces spelter, 60 packages paper, 2 cases tobacco, 61 packages earthenware, 100 packages soda, 1,000 waste empty bottles, 5 packages varnish, and paint, 254 cases candles, 200 pics lead, 31 packages cool tar, 50 kegs shots, and 174 packages merchandise. The vessel is consigned to Messrs. Finlay, Muir and Co.

ARRIVALS.

Jan.	Vessels.	Commanders.	From.
25	Buckinghamshire	Massey	London. Sept 26.
	Alice Buck	Harriman	Liverpool, Sept 23.
	Alverton (s)	Darnell	Calcutta, Jan 10.
26	Medeline (s)	Reiff	Cardiff, Dec 17.
	Mula (s)	Jarrett	Cutch, Jan 23.

DEPARTURES.

Jan.	Vessels.	Commanders.	Destination.
25	Cervin (s)	Taylor	Elephant Point.
	Columbia (s)	Young	Marseilles and Genoa.
	Benarty (s)	Patte	Diamond Island.
	Socotra (s)	Flower	Coast and Calcutta.
26	Pearl (s)	Klee	Coast and Cutch.

The following vessels obtained their port clearances on Saturday last:—

Steamer Vincorla, Dougherty, to K. Coast and Kurrachee.
Barque Chatanooga, Freeman, to Galle.
Brig Sultan, Nacods, to Negapatam.

The Barque Olinda, to Mozambique, via Goa, was entered for loading on Saturday last.

CALCUTTA.

Jan. ARRIVALS.

22 Esterprise (s)	Edwards	Rangoon, Jan 17.
Frecursseur (s)	Lensine	Bordeaux, Nov 22.
Harvester	Bosworth	Liverpool, Sept 24.
Neva	Napier	
Baroda	Brown	Liverpool, Sept 25.
Roanoke	Mackie	Port Natal, Nov 27.

DEPARTURES.

Jan. 22.—Steamer Reliance. Barques Turgot and Sevilla.

VESSELS SPOKEN.

By Neva—January 9th, British Empire in lat 19-36 N, long 87 21 E, from Colombo to Akyab 28 days out. 19th January, Orrill mine, in lat 19-36 N., long 87-21 E 19th 19th January, Siberia, off Calcomb bound down the Bay.
By Baroda—Persian Empire for Calcutta.
By Harvester—6th January, Baron Colonsay in lat 4-47 S, long 86-30 E.

MADRAS.

Jan. ARRIVALS.

22 Sea Queen	.....	London.
Cassiope	.....	Melbourne.
23 Morna	.....	Liverpool.

Jan. DEPARTURES.

23 Flamingo (s)	.....	Calcutta.

DAILY IMPORTS.—JANUARY 25.

FROM LIVERPOOL

Columbia s—1 cask hardware and 14 bundles and 3 bars cast steel, Mahamedaly Habutbhoy; 8 packages earthenware, Gangjee Poonja.
Benarty s—6 cases confectionery, Dawoodbhoy A Hoosein; 7 packages hardware, Esmaljee Essoofbhoy; 26 crates earthenware, Jaffer Rehimtoola.
Celia s—4 packages hardware, Essoofally Hiptoola.
Anglia s—16 packages hardware, Essoofally Hiptoola.
Wistow Hall s—4 packages hardware, Essoofally Hiptoola.
Clan Fraser s—300 bundles sheet iron, Peel, Cassels and Co.

FROM LONDON.

Assiria s—4 cases hardware, Jeevunjee Esmaljee.
Blairgowrie—9 cases hardware, Noormahamed Bharmull.
Bokhara s—3 cases bacon and 3 cases cheese, Bolton and Co.
Minotaur s—8 cases iron tacks, 1 case glassware, 30 packages hardware, 6 cases playing cards, 2 cases sail needles and 1 case stationery, Eabhoy Tyebally.
Oimara—10 cases brandy, P S Pochajee.
Greenock s—12 cases tacks, Essoofally Heptoola; 25 cases matches, Tyebally Sultanally.

FROM GENOA.

Assiria s—136 cases brandy, Dhunjeebhoy Cawasjee; 8 cases lamps, Theodor Knaust.

FROM GLASGOW.

Columbia s—2 cases varnish and 5 casks paint of sorts, Adomjee Jewanjee.

FROM BORDEAUX.

Assiria s—37 packages bottle corks, D D Shah; 100 cases brandy, Cawasjee Mehta and Co; 2 cases oilmantore, Allybhoy Sumsoodin.

FROM ADEN.

Assiria s—100 cases brandy, Allybhoy Sumsoodin.

DAILY EXPORTS.—JANUARY 25.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

European s—16 bales hides, George Teil and Co; 125 cwts coir yarn, Veerjee Pairsz.
Rydal Hall s—130 cwts B horns, Abdool Russol Abedin; 4 bales hemp, Loodemunao Gorpoolo; 47 bales hemp, and 40 bales rags, Nuchoo Sunderjee; 22 bales cotton, Booth and Co; 10 bales cotton, W and A Graham and Co; 108 bales cotton, Keruldass Treecumdass; 38 bales wool, Ralli Brothers.

FOR LONDON.

Salado—682½ cwts coir yarn, Hajee Taleb Arbee; 400 cwts myrabollams, Noormahamed Lutiff.
Oribe—704 cwts coir yarn, Hajee Talub Arbee.
Scotland—560 cwts bones, Hasum Khamsahamed; 30 cwts ganja, W Watson and Co; 3 bales hides, Rematoola Sullaman; 11 bales hides, Currimbhoy Hasoobhoy.
Teheran s—35 cwts ganja, Remoobhoy Mahamed; 8 cwts lac, Cumma Rajee; 467 ½ cwts olibanum, Joomabhoy Lalljee; and 20 cwts indigo, Hotechund Purusram; 6 bundles silk, Peerbhoy Hukimjee; 8 cwts E teeth, Mahamedjee Hajee Adomjee; 6½ cwts. E teeth, Runchorlall Geordhurlall; 1 box gold bars (Rs 1,06,000). The National Bank of India.

FOR HAVRE.

Rydall Hall s—200 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Teheran s—1 case shawls, The French Bank.
Yarra s—1,135 cwts gingellyseed, Finlay, Scott and Co.
Assiria—8,125 cwts gingellyseed, Finlay, Scott and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Assiria s—1,875 cwts gingellyseed, and 375 cwts linseed, Peel, Cassels and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Bangalore s—350 bales cotton, Ritchie, Stewart and Co; 300 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.

FOR TRIESTE.

Pollace s—200 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 50 bales cotton, Knoop and Co.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Socotra s—2 bales cotton, Jankeedass Sewdyal.

FOR HONGKONG.

Adria s—2 cwts cambaystone, Ebram Noordin and Co; 2 cwts nurburnee, Jumbhoy Ebram; 200 baskets onions, Husoon Peerun; 100 baskets onions, Cubba Ameree; 793 cwts olibanum, and 4 cases sharkfins, Joomabhoy Lalljee; 5 cases fishmaws and 2 cases sharkfins, Ebram Hasoom; 2 cases sharkfins, Dadordina Mowjee; 75 cases sharkfins, Goolamhoosein Jannahamed; 13 cwts rose flower, Hajee Abdoola Esmail and Co; 25 bales twist, Oursetjee Bomanjee and Co; 100 bales twist, the National S and W Co; 20 bales twist, Hajee Abdoola Noor Mahamed; 25 bales twist, Tata and Co.

HIGH COURT—JANUARY 27.

[Before the Honorable SIR CHARLES SARGENT.]

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

LONG CAUSES.

507-78—Prescot and W—Lanyon and Co vs Mahomed Hajee Jewa Noormahomed—Crasgie, L and O—For continuation of Counsel's reply only.
370-78—In person [a pauper]—Gulbar Vullud Wahab vs Koolsam, otherwise Jorabebee—Balkrishna and B.
409-78—Chalk and W—G P Dias—In M P Dias—In person.
393-78—Ardeshir and H—Gooldass Currumsey vs Foolilvahoo.
766-77—Chalk and W—Walljee Rowjee and others vs The G I P Railway Company—Hearn, C and L.
26-78—Smith and F—Abdool Aziz bin Ahmed bin Mozi vs Suggur bin Abdeola bin Yoosuf Suggur.

[Before the Honorable Mr. JUSTICE BAYLEY].

Such of the following New Long Causes fixed for the 27th January which either party has informed the Prothonotary or the Deputy Registrar will be defended, will not be called on until any Consent Decree, and Undefended suits in the list are disposed of. Defended suits will be taken after suit No.570-77.

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

NEW LONG CAUSES.

600-78—Jefferson and P—Nissim Jews vs John Fleming and others—Rimington, H and C and Shapurjee and T.
601-78—Janardhan and G—Lalchund Sewdass and another vs Dhuraj Govindram and others.
For Investigation under Section 408 of Act X. of 1877.
In person—Shamjee Waljee vs Lilbai and others.

LONG CAUSES.

592-74—Smith and F (for pauper)—Ada Succoor beg Mahomed vs Coovercee Pragjee and others—Lynch and T—Part heard.
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566-76—Ardeshir and H—Muggon Adikram and others vs Sadock Govindram.
568-77—Moreshwur L—Lancebai vs Luxmibai—Prescot and W.
570-77—Moreshwur L—Dhaklibai vs Luxmibai—Prescot and W.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—JANUARY 24.

Wilson, Captain, 13th Madras N I, on sick leave, from Jubbulpore.

JANUARY 25.

Macleod, Lieut Col, Bombay Army, on duty, from Satara.

DEPARTURES, JANUARY 25.

Knox, Captain, 13th Hussars, to join, to Lucknow.
Robertson, Riding Master, 12th Lancers, to join, to Secundrabad.
Gillespie, Col, Asst Adjt Genl of Cavalry, on duty, to Poona.
Taylor, Surg Major on duty, to Delhi.
Nepean, Major, Staff Corps, to join, to Madras.
Macdougall, Surg Major, on Med Cert, to England.

MADRAS GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Fort St. George Gazette*, Jan. 21.)

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve the appointment of the Rev J Sharp, Madras Railway Chaplain, to be a Junior Chaplain on the Madras Ecclesiastical Establishment.
Mr Sewell, acting Head Assistant Collector, Malabar, privilege leave for three months.
Mr Sullivan to be First Member, Board of Revenue.
Mr. Puckle to be Second Member Board of Revenue.
Mr Wilson to be Director of Revenue Settlement.
Mr Horsfall to be Collector and Magistrate of the District Kistna.
Mr Horsbrugh to be District and Sessions Judge, South Malabar.
Mr Martin to be Sub-Collector and Joint Magistrate of the Kistna District.
Mr Rice to be Head Assistant to the Collector and Magistrate of Coimbatore.
Mr Longley to act as First Member, Board of Revenue.
Mr Thomas to act as Second Member, Board of Revenue.
Mr Garstin to act as Revenue Secretary to Government.
Captain Broadfoot, R E, Executive Engineer, is granted privilege leave for three months.
The following reduction is ordered:—
Mr W C Smith, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade to be Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

The following movement is ordered:—B Battery, B Brigade, R H A, from Secunderabad to Bangalore.
The following promotions are made, to be Lieut Colonels having completed 26 years' service—Majors G Briggs and G E Byrne.
His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—
Major R G Bramley, A, Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class, to be Commissary of Ordnance, 1st Class; Captain Macleverty, R A, Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class, to be Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class; and 2nd Class Ordnance, R A, Assistant Superintendent of Factories, to be Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class; vice Colonel Thomas R A, retired.
Lieut Lockyer, R A, to officiate as Assistant Superintendent of Factories.
Major Baynes, Staff Corps, to be Secretary and Examiner in Hindustani.
Lieut Col (Brevet-Col) Pearse, Staff Corps, Commissioner, Nundidroog Division, Mysore, is granted furlough out of India on private affairs for two years.

ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

Adjutant General's Office, Simla, January 15.

The C C in India have also been pleased to make the following appointments:—
106th Regt—Second Lieut Willcocks, having passed by the higher standard, to be Interpreter.
Lieut Col Hinxman, 4th Battalion 60th Rifles, having completed the qual fying period of service for the rank of Colonel, to Colonel by Brevet.
1st Goorkhas.—Colonel Hill, 2nd in Command, to be Commandant, vice Bawlins, retired; Lieut Cookson, 2nd in Command, vice Commandant 2nd in Command; Major Young, Wing Officer, to be Wing Commander; Lieut Spankie, Officiating Wing Officer on probation for one year, to be Wing Officer.
Lieut Evans, Bengal Infantry, is transferred from Allahabad to Jubbulpore, for general duty.
The C-in-C is pleased to direct the following postings:—
Deputy Surgeon General S C Townsend, to the Rawal Pindi circle of medical superintendence, vice Deputy Surgeon General F F Allen, C B, transferred to the Peshawar circle.
Deputy Surgeon General W B Beatson, M D, to the Lahore circle of medical superintendence, vice Deputy Surgeon General G H Ray, M D, whose furlough has expired.
Deputy Surgeon General J J Clarke, M D., officiating with temporary rank, to the Umballa circle of medical superintendence temporarily, and during the absence of Deputy Surgeon General F F Allen, C B.
Major Rothe, R A, is directed to proceed from Jamrud to England and join No 2 Battery 7th Brigade, into which he has been promoted.
Captain Welsh, R A, is directed to proceed from Jellalabad to Aden, and join No 18 Battery 8th Brigade, into which he has been promoted.
Captain W W Smith, R A, is directed to proceed from Jamrud to England, and join 1 Battery 4th Brigade, into which he has been promoted.
The following officers have been appointed to take charge of treasure chests in the field:
Major R D Osborn, Staff Corps, with the Kandahar column.
Captain (Local Major) Humfrey, 9th Foot, with the 1st Division Peshawar Valley Force.
Lieut G. J. R. Hearsey, 9th Lancers, with the 2nd Division Peshawar Valley Force.
Lieut Waterfield, C-C R H A, with the Kuram Force.
Captain A Conolly is directed to proceed and report himself for duty to Major General F G Roberts, C B, V C, commanding Kuram Column Field Force.
Captain Broome, General List Infantry, is transferred from the 13th Bengal Lancers to the 9th Bengal Cavalry, for duty.

MESSRS. DAVIS,
SURGEON DENTISTS,
7, RAMPART ROW, FORT, BOMBAY.

PAINFUL and aching Teeth medically treated and filled, thereby avoiding extraction and rendering them perfectly sound and useful for mastication.
N.B.—Charges strictly moderate.

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THE GIBBS' MEMORIAL COMMITTEE are prepared to receive from the Fellows of the University of Bombay, and from the Public at large, who may be desirous of joining the memorial, SUBSCRIPTIONS to the GIBBS' MEMORIAL FUND.
The Hon'rary Secretaries to the Committee will be glad to supply a copy of the proceedings of the meeting of the Fellows of the University of Bombay, held on the 17th December last, to any gentleman who may intimate a wish to the Secretaries to that effect.
Contributions may be paid to the undersigned or at the Bank of Bombay.

VISHVANATH N. MANDLIK,
DOSABHOY FRAMJEE,
P. PETERSON.
Joint Honorary Secretaries.

The University Library Rooms, 4th January 1879.

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The work is written by a well-known native politician of India. It also elucidates certain problems, the operation of which would tend either to wea

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

THE AFGHAN WAR.

HOSTILE ACTION BY YAKUB KHAN AGAINST THE GHILZAI TRIBE.

CALCUTTA, JAN. 25.

A telegram dated Jallalabad, 23rd inst., states that, taking advantage of the absence of the Ghilzai chief of the Babakar Khel section of the Ghilzais, then at Jallalabad, Yakub Khan sent men to seize one of their forts at Tezin, which was accomplished by stratagem; he also directed some Safi levies of Nagad to proceed to Doaba in Lughman, at the junction of the Alingar and Kabul rivers, to seize the families of the chiefs. This has greatly incensed the Ghilzai tribe, and a general coalition in favour of the Babakar Khels is likely to ensue. Fighting has commenced, and the Babakar Khel chiefs appear confident about recovering their fort and dispersing the Safi levies. It is reported that the Ghilzais and Kohistanis present at Kabul have left Yakub Khan in consequence of this affair.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENTS.)

SIR RICHARD TEMPLE'S MOVEMENTS.

KURRACHEE, JAN. 25.

Sir Richard Temple returned to Sukkur from Dadur on the 22nd, where he held a durbar in the afternoon, at which His Highness Mir Ali Murad of Khyrpoor and his sons were present. In the evening the Governor left for a place in Khyrpoor territory, three miles from Sukkur to return the Mir's visit. Last evening the Governor arrived at Kurrachee, and left at once in the s. s. May Frere for Sonmiani, distant 70 miles south from Las Beyla and 53 miles north-west from Kurrachee.

Horses have been posted along the Sonmiani road to enable Sir Richard Temple and his Military Secretary to ride on direct to Kurrachee, which he is expected to reach about the 27th instant.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(By Red Sea Cable.)

THE CABINET.

LONDON, JAN. 20.

Frequent Cabinet Councils are being held.

Consols closed at 96, being a fall of ⅛ upon the previous day's quotations.

THE PLAGUE AT ASTRAKHAN.

Both Germany and Austria contemplate the institution of a sanitary cordon on the Russian frontier should the plague increase; also, in consequence of the conflicting accounts, to send doctors to the infested districts to ascertain the actual state of affairs.

THE AMIR.

It is asserted upon authentic information that the Amir will not go to St. Petersburg.

THE CITY OF GLASGOW BANK.

LONDON, JAN. 26.

The accountant for the Crown testified at the trial of the directors of the City of Glasgow Bank, that the Bank advanced £2,849,000 to eight firms last year.

THE INDIAN IMPORT DUTIES.

Lord Cranbrook, Secretary of State for India, will receive a deputation from the Manchester Chamber of Commerce on the subject of the Indian import duties on the 4th of February.

THE EGYPTIAN FLOATING DEBT.

The settlement of the Egyptian floating debt has been indefinitely postponed in consequence of a judgment for the creditors sequestrating that portion of property which was ceded to the Rothschilds.

THE KAFFIR TROUBLES.

Latest advices from the Cape announce that up to the 6th instant, King Cetewayo had not accepted Sir Bartle Frere's *ultimatum*, but intends fighting. Military steps have been taken to compel him to satisfy our demands, but the British Commander waits until the 11th January for a complete submission, and in the meantime is making his preparations to cross the frontier.

THE AFGHAN WAR AND THE INDIAN RESIDENTS IN LONDON.

At a meeting of the Indians resident in London it was resolved to petition Parliament against India's having to pay the expenses of the Afghan war.

THE RUSSIAN EVACUATION OF TURKEY.

ST. PETERSBURG, JAN. 25.

Russia has agreed to evacuate the conquered territory now occupied, 35 days after the signing of the definitive treaty of peace.

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

LONDON, JAN. 24.

Total Week's sales of Cotton	64,000 bales.
Amount forwarded	8,000 do.
Do. Week's sales of Surats	7,000 do.
Do. do. imports of Cotton....	35,000 do.
Do. do. do. Surats	3,000 do.
Do. Stock of Cotton.....	387,000 do.
Do. do. Surats	34,000 do.
Do. Stock of Cotton in London.....	53,000 do.

LONDON, JAN. 24.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed firm. Surats steady.

The London Cotton Market has be en firm.

Fair Dhollera	4¾d.
The Manchester Market has been quiet but steady.	
7 lbs. Shirtings	5-1¼
8¼ lbs. do.	5-10½
40s. Mule Twist	0-8¾
Exchange on India, 60 days' sight ..	1-7⅞
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	76
4½ per cent. do.	91
3 per cent. Consols for account.	96
5 per cent. French Rentes 1872.....	114¼
Bar Silver	50⅛d.
Total Coin in the Bank of France....	£98,000,000
" Notes in Circulation	£91,300,000

THE premises of Mr. Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, C. S. I., at Mazagaon, hitherto occupied by the Appellate Side of the High Court as a monthly rental of Rs. 1,800, have just been vacated; and the judges will from to-day sit in the New High Court buildings. The latter are not quite ready, nor has all the necessary accommodation yet been provided; but two division courts have been hastily got ready for use from to-day. The clerks' establishment will be placed on the first, and the translators' on the third storey, while the printing department is placed on the ground floor next to the offices intended for the Sheriff of Bombay. The establishments on the Original Side of the court will not remove into the new buildings until the close of March next. It is expected that the judges of the Original Side will take their seats there in the beginning of April next.

WE understand that the Secretary of State has confirmed certain arrangements lately submitted for his approval by the Government of India, for the revision of the graded establishment of the Educational Department in the N. W. P. and Oudh. By these arrangements it appears that the final saving effected in the graded educational staff is Rs. 33,000 per annum, including the revival of the Directorship of Public Instruction.

IT will be interesting to some of our readers to know that the annuities of the Bombay Medical Retiring Fund for the year 1879 have been alloted as under:—Deputy Surgeon General Sir M. Pelly, C. B., £252; Surgeon General J. R. Miller, M.D., £210; Surgeon Major W. C. Coles, M.D., £210; Surgeon Major W. Davey, £168; Deputy Surgeon General T. Murray, £168; Surgeon Major C. J. Sylvester, M. D., £168.

AT the half-yearly meeting of the G. I. P. Railway Company, held in London on the 20th of last month, Col. J. Holland, the chairman, said:—

"I have a few words to say on the subject of the grain robberies, which we tell you in the report have happily ceased. It is a subject which has given us a great deal of annoyance and vexation, and has excited a great amount of angry feeling in Bombay. It may be in your recollection that persons whom we had long trusted, and of high character, were considered in some quarters to be open to charges of fraud and collusion in connection with those grain robberies, and they were placed upon their trial upon those charges. After long trial, and I may say a considerable amount of persecution as well as prosecution both the men were triumphantly acquitted, one in the High Court of Bombay, the Judge of which stated his opinion that the accused person was entitled to compensation for the loss to which he had been subjected; and the other in the local court of Sholapore. In both cases the men were clearly acquitted, and the evidence was such as to render the witnesses liable to a prosecution for corrupt perjury. The result has given us great satisfaction, as it has completely removed officers of the company from the charges of negligence or incapacity that were brought against them. They have, however, been reinstated in the Company's service, and it is under consideration to give them such reasonable compensation as the injury inflicted upon them may entitle them to. With regard to the compensation for goods lost, Mr. Summers places the sum at £90,000, whereas we have stated it at £10,000 in the last half-year; and against that there is a set off for goods recovered. The total loss under this head last half-year was less than £9,000. In the preceding half year it was about £25,000; and instead of being £90,000 in the aggregate, is only £30,000, and of that sum the Government shares a moiety with us; so that we have virtually lost, not £90,000, but £15,000; and it is to be borne in mind that this loss was principally incurred with our trains passing through a country in a state of famine, with insufficient engine power, and through a starving population It is not, therefore, wonderful that we had robberies of grain, even if the police had been in a more efficient condition than it then was."

THE following is a resolution of Government, recently issued, which speaks for itself—except that it will surprise every one who reads it that the penalty threatened in future for conduct such as the Inspector alluded to was guilty of, was not inflicted in his case:—

"RESOLUTION—A case has recently been brought to the notice of Government in which when a Chief Constable ordered one of his subordinates to investigate with having fabricated false evidence of a robbery against *innocent* persons under section 193, Indian Penal Code, the District Superintendent of Police in place of rendering assistance to the Magistrate in conducting the inquiry, and of attempting to facilitate the course of justice, rendered himself conspicuously on the side of the accused persons, employed, without sanction, a vakeel for their defence, and exerted himself actively on their behalf to ensure their acquittal, which conduct obliged Government to remove him from his appointment to one of a lower grade. His Excellency in Council therefore considers it expedient to announce publicly that when any officer so far forgets the functions of his office as to thwart instead of furthering the investigation of crime, he will be considered as unworthy of public employment in any capacity."

THE Rev. C. H. Chard, a missionary of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel, has been appointed a Junior chaplain on the Bengal establishment in place of the Revd. F. F. Mazuchelli.

A RUSSIAN steamer has penetrated up the Oxus beyond the Afghan border on the left bank.

MR. BAZETT COLVIN, C. S., has been re-appointed to the Legislative Council of the Viceroy, on the expiration of his present term of service therein.

WITH the Secretary of State's sanction, an addition has been made to the Rules relative to the transmission of memorials to the Home Government. Rule XII. grants to Governments and administrations in India, discretionary power to withhold under certain circumstances the transmission of memorials. The present addition to the Rule adds to these circumstances the following:—"When a memorial is an appeal against an order of the Government of India, confirming a decision of a local Government and guards the dismissal, removal, or reduction, of a Government servant, whose salary was not more than Rs. 250 a month."

THE R-C Battery R. H. A. have left Morar *en route* for Bombay and England. Drafts 2-60th Foot and the 70th have left to join their regiments with the Multan Field Force and the Quetta Column. The 81st Foot left Ali Musjid on the 9th for Nowshera. The 92nd Foot have proceeded from Sitapur to Lawrencepur, and the 11th N. I. from Lawrencepur to Kohat.

WE understand that Mr. H. F. Blanford, the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India, has recently returned from a tour on the continent, in the course of which he made arrangements for obtaining copies of the rainfall registers in Mr. Hermann von Schlagintaveit's possession, and also inspected several meteorological establishments in Belgium, Germany, and Austria. The portions of the rainfall registers thus secured are required to supplement those of the rainfall of India in past years, which have been already collected from other sources.

THE *Golos* of the 11th Nov. (30th Oct.) last states "that Djellal-eddin, Afghan Envoy to the Sultan of Turkey, left St. Petersburg last week for Kabul. According to the same journal, this Envoy had previously resided three years at Constantinople. At St. Petersburg he stayed one week, and employed his time in studying the opinions of the Russian press on the Afghan question, and in composing a pamphlet on the subject in the Arabic language. He is said to have spoken in terms of great praise of Prince Labanoff, Bobrikoff, M. Gubonoff of the Russian Embassy, and other Russian officials at Constantinople. Djellal-eddin is further reported to have taken with him an assortment of rifles of the newest patterns for the purpose of submitting them to the Amir." A correspondent of the *Golos*, writing from Orenburgh on the 18th (30th) October last says, "that according to information received at that place from Bokhara, the towns of Afghanistan were being fortified, and that large forces were being concentrated at Kandahar. Also that Ahmed Ali, grandson of the Amir of Kabul, had accepted the command of ten regiments of infantry, four regiments of cavalry, and several batteries of artillery. The Amir is likewise said to have liberated Yakub Khan for the purpose of placing him in command over the troops destined for the defence of Ali Musjid."

A LARGE force under Generals Maude and Tytler was expected to leave Jamrud and Dhaka last week for the Terah country, not with hostile intentions, but with the object of exploring the country and endeavouring to find a site suitable for a sanitarium in a commanding strategical position.

IT is notified that with reference to G. O. C. C. of 8th November 1878, granting passage to England in Her Majesty's Indian troopships, if available, to the families of officers on field service, that the Government of India have been pleased to extend the concession to such relations of an officer on service as may be bona-fide members of his family, and dependent on him for a home. The Government of India have also been pleased to sanction the grant of free passage by troopship, if available, to the family (including those above mentioned) of an officer killed in action, whether he belonged to the British or to the Indian service.

THE new Indian sporting paper, *The Asian*, which has now appeared regularly for some weeks, is amply fulfilling the promise which we ventured to infer from its first number. It is an interesting record of sporting events, not only in India but in England (related in special letters "from our Sporting London Correspondent") and other parts of the world; and it contains also much information valuable to the general reader.

THE *Civil and Military Gazette*:—The Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor (of the Punjab) arrived at Loodiana on Saturday week, accompanied by the Commissioner of the Umballa Division, being received some miles from the town by the district officers and the native gentry, including the Saddozai Princes of Kabul, now British pensioners residing at Loodiana. The camp moved on from Jagraon, 24 miles, in one march, and halted at Loodiana for two days. In the afternoon the Lieutenant-Governor visited the public buildings and gardens, and in the evening was present at a display of fireworks; he also, in company with his personal staff and other gentlemen, attended a conversazione at the Loodiana house of Sirdar Atar Singh of Bhadour, a well known nobleman, residing in the Patiala State. It had been determined by the Municipality to illuminate the town on the occasion of His Honour's visit, but the Lieutenant-Governor expressly desired that this might not be done, as the whole station had been lately suffering from terrible epidemics of fever, and there was still great distress from the famine in this cause and high prices. On Sunday, in private durbar, he received all the native gentry of the place, and on Monday left for Sangroor, the capital of the Raja of Jhind, where he proposes to remain till Wednesday morning, going from Sangroor to Nabha, and from Nabha on Thursday to Patiala, rejoining his camp at Mogul-ki-Serai on Friday.

THE Lahore paper says—"We regret to hear of the death of Surgeon-Major F. H. O'Donel at Mian Mir, under painful circumstances. He was found dead in his bath-room by his servant, his head being immersed in his bath. It is supposed that he had fallen down in a fit."

THE *Civil and Military Gazette*—It is very easy to throw the blame of failure in the transport arrangements upon the departments nominally responsible for them; but the question is whether these departments have ever possessed the materials necessary for their efficient working. And if they have not, then the blame should properly rest with the Government for not providing the means of efficiency. If, for instance, for the sake of economy, one officer is employed to do the work for which to do well six officers are required, we may easily understand that the work will not be altogether well done. If establishments which are fitted for a transport service in a rich and peaceful country traversed by railways are called upon to do their work as easily in a country where there are no roads and beasts of burden, then again it is possible that some inconvenience will arise.

THE *Pioneer*—The danger of lavishing arms of precision on our neighbours is well exemplified in the case of Afghanistan. Since the time of the Umballa Durbar, Shere Ali has received from the British Government 12 guns, 21,400 rifles, 11,000 muskets, 1,200 carbines, and 1,000 pistols. Although aware that the Amir had been helped occasionally from our arsenals few people will have realised the extent of our generosity, till the publication of the recent blue-book. And this gift, it must be remembered, has been bestowed in great measure during the period when our quondam ally's devotion to us was lukewarm, and whilst we have been most vigilant in regard to the importation of material of war into the territories of feudatory chiefs whose loyalty was less doubtful. The very fact of such substantial assistance should have led the Amir to understand that however guarded the language of successive Viceroys towards him might be, he had in these various consignments of arms the most practical proof that the British Government had his interests at heart. The knowledge that so large a number of military weapons had recently passed into the country, must have added seriously to the anxieties of the Government when considering the question of the present expedition. With such arms in their possession, with all the advantage that they had in local experience of the ground, it is almost incredible that the regular forces of the Amir should not have made a more determined stand against our advance. In the end we shall probably find that unpunctuality in the payment of the troops had much to do with their general faint-heartedness, though for this the Amir has no excuse, seeing that besides the arms, he has drawn from British India a quarter of a million sterling of money during the last ten years. Lord Lytton had the right on his side when he urged that it was certainly not in his "power to point to any reciprocal benefits which, during the same period, the British Government had received from the Amir."

THE *Army and Navy Gazette*—Another new gun, of American origin, has just been brought to the notice of our Government by its inventor, and the first official trials have been made at Enfield. It will fire about 120 to 200 shots a minute, and from be easily handled, while its freedom from delicate mechanism makes it adapted for rough service. Unlike the Gatling, it has one barrel only, and the total weight of the arm and its rest or carriage is but eighty pounds. The method of loading and extracting the cartridge is more simple than in any other gun of its class, and the cheapness of construction of the cartridge-cases makes it an economical gun to use, when we consider the rate at which guns of this type expend their ammunition. Our Government has been given the first opportunity of obtaining this arm for our services, and Germany is, we believe, to have the next offer.

THE *Army and Navy Gazette*—Whatever may be the result of the intended court-martial upon Captain Lindesay Brine, of the Invincible, for having misunderstood a signal made by the Alexandra, whereby a collision might have occurred, there seems to be but one opinion as to the action taken by the Commander-in-Chief in his treatment of this officer. How far the charge of neglect which has been laid against Captain Brine by Admiral Geoffrey Hornby may hold good and the fact of a court-martial having been ordered on this charge would show that the Admiralty believe there are grounds for that charge—the action of the Admiral in putting Captain Brine under arrest and relieving him of the command of his ship, by signal, is felt to have been an unnecessary humiliation, and treatment which must tend to lessen the authority of a commanding officer in the eyes of those under him. This circumstance, having occurred just at this time, is also to be regretted, for Admiral Hornby had shown himself a most capable officer throughout the late Eastern troubles, and the old unpopularity with which his name had been associated was being gradually forgotten. This arbitrary treatment of a senior officer, who was unable to offer the slightest explanation before being so publicly removed from his command before the whole Fleet, revives the recollection of former commands of Admiral Hornby when all was not peace, and the daily papers even took up the subject of the treatment to which those under this officer's command were subjected. And, whichever way the court may view the actual offence with which Captain Brine has been charged, we again repeat that few will be found who will excuse the Admiral for his want of consideration towards a commanding officer serving under him.

BOMBAY.

ERRATA.—In our editorial of Saturday the following sentence occurs:—"The business of the master is to develop normally the faculties of his scholars, unrquat as they may be, and to bring all the *soils* (incorrectly printed in the article *girls*), poor as well as rich, to such degree of perfection as they are capable of." There is also another misprint in the same article—"*natural* intellect" was printed for *national* in the following sentence:—"The object of State education is not to create a few graduates, but by means of its schools to stir and strengthen the national intellect."

THE TOWN HALL CONCERT.—The grand evening Concert in aid of the fund of the Bombay Volunteer band takes place to-morrow in the Town Hall, commencing at 9 o'clock. Books of the words will be sold at the door, price 4 As.

A SERIOUS fire occurred in the principal street of Baroda on Thursday last, which was not extinguished until considerable damage had been done, estimated at a lakh of rupees.

THE FAILURE OF MILLS UNDER NURSEY KESSOWJEE.—We hear that one of the shareholders of the Alexandra Spinning and Weaving Company is about to volunteer his evidence in respect of certain charges he gave to the secretary and to the directors so far back as February 1876, protesting against their contracting debts on account of the Mill, and failing to furnish correct balance sheets.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.—During the period that Mr. Trevor acts as Collector of Bombay, the following temporary arrangements have been made:—Mr. Wright to act as Deputy Commissioner, and Messrs. Payne, Shapurjee Jamasjee Bhownagri, and Jehangeer Dossbhoy Framjee to act as second, third, and fourth Assistant Commissioners respectively.

FATAL FALL FROM A TREE.—A Coroner's Inquest was held on Saturday last at the J. J. Hospital, on view of the body of a toddy drawer, who met with an accident on the 17th instant by falling from a cocoanut tree and sustained injuries, from the effects of which he died. A verdict of accidental death was recorded.

GORED BY A BUFFALO.—A Coroner's inquest was held on Saturday last at the J. J. Hospital, on view of the body of a cultivator residing at Matoonga. It appears that on the day previous, while deceased was in a field, he was suddenly gored in the abdomen by a buffalo, from the effects of which he died. A verdict was recorded accordingly.

SHOP-LIFTING.—Three Moguls, named Syud Mirza Syud Mahomed, Hajee Syud Kasjim, and Hajee Asgar Goolam Hoosein, were convicted by Mr. Nana Morojee on Friday last on seven separate charges of theft of property belonging to six different parties, and having in their possession sundry articles reasonably suspected of being stolen or fraudulently obtained, and failing to account satisfactorily how they became possessed of the same. They were sentenced each to an accumulated term of two years' rigorous imprisonment. The circumstances of the case are briefly these. It appears that several complaints had been recently made to the police by several shopkeepers at the markets and other parts of the town of articles exposed for sale being suddenly missed. On the Thursday previous while Mr. Inspector Gough was passing along the bazaar at Chuckla, a native brought to his notice that three Moguls (the present accused parties) who were near, were furtively transferring, from under their cloaks, certain articles from one to the other. This looked so suspicious that the police officer took them in charge, and asked them to account for the property they had in their possession, which they failed to do. Upon making enquiry he discovered the owners, who had thus few minutes previously missed the articles from their respective shops. Mr. Gough subsequently searched the premises where the prisoners resided, and there discovered in a large box sundry articles, consisting of locks, thread, soap, concertinas, matches, and many other things, the possession of which they could not satisfactorily account for. They then confessed that they had systematically robbed the shops, concealing the articles under their cloaks, which afforded great facility for their thefts.

Native Opinion, in its yesterday's issue, points out that Mr. Henry Stead, the Official Liquidator of the Bombay, London, and Mediterranean Bank, possesses at least one accomplishment, viz., "he writes a distinct and pleasing hand," to this, however, there is a painful set-off—"but, alas, only to inflict grief and misery upon many of the unfortunate share-holders whom he holds in his grasp."

THE failure of Messrs. Narsi Keshavji and Co. is the talk of the town, and as it has proved the ruin of hundreds of families, disturbed trade, and destroyed confidence, the keenest interest is taken by the local public in this affair. The commotion caused by the failure has not subsided, but has, on the contrary, increased by the criminal information filed on Saturday week against the directors of the four mills of which Mr. Narsi was Treasurer and Secretary.—*Native Opinion.*

THE GRAIN MARKET.—Strange to say that while distress is making itself felt in certain parts of the Mofussil, prices of grain in Bombay have somewhat gone down. There are different versions of this phenomenon; one is, that grain was hitherto largely exported to Gujarat, but since the failure of Mr. Nursey and the consequent revelations the grain merchants have been refusing to part with their stock on credit, and hence the export of grain has slackened. The other is, that there is no one now in the bazaar, with sufficient capital at his command, to buy up all the stock of grain and then re-sell it at his own price as Messrs. Narsee and Keshavji so often used to do.—*Id.*

WINDING UP OF THE BROACH MILLS COMPANY.

On Saturday last at the High Court, before Mr. Justice Green, Mr. Latham, instructed by Messrs. Prescot and Winter, presented a petition to continue the winding up of the company under the supervision of the court. The application was made on behalf of Messrs. F. R. Vicajee and Eduljee Nusserwanjee Setna, the present liquidators, and Mr. Dinshaw Manockjee Petit, a holder of 259 shares and a creditor for Rs. 2,75,000. On the 6th November 1878 it was resolved to wind up the company voluntarily and to transfer its assets to a new company; but owing to the public not being willing to subscribe the required capital, the proposal for the formation of the new company was abandoned. It was subsequently resolved that an application be made to have the company wound up under the supervision of the court. Suits had been filed by certain creditors, and it was apprehended that unless an order was made for a winding up by the court, they would get decrees against the company. The liabilities of the company amounted to Rs. 5,36,000.

Mr. Lang, instructed by Messrs. Hearn, Cleveland, and Little, for Girjashunker Vijayshunker, a creditor for Rs. 42,500, supported the application, which was not opposed, and was therefore granted.

Mr. Lang expressed his intention to apply for the appointment on a future day of Mr. James Moore as an additional liquidator of the company.

SUITS AGAINST THE ALBERT MILLS AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

At the High Court on Saturday last, a suit brought by Narotumdas Harjeevandas against the Albert Manufacturing Company was heard before Mr. Justice Green. Mr. Inverarity, instructed by Mr. M. Hunter, appeared for the plaintiff, who claimed to recover Rs. 5,000 due on a promissory note, dated 16th October 1878, which was signed by two of the directors and to which the common seal of the company had been affixed. The court gave a decree for plaintiff for Rs. 5,000, with interest and costs. Mr. Macpherson, instructed by Mr. J. C. Cama, for the defendants, said that a petition had been presented for a winding-up order, and applied for a stay of proceedings. His Lordship directed that unless the company got a rule *nisi* (already granted for a stay of proceedings in a suit brought by Nagindass Motichund) made absolute in four days, the plaintiff be at liberty to move for an execution of the decree in the present suit.

In a suit brought against the Albert Mills Company by Girjashunker Vijayshunker, Mr. B. M. Wagle, instructed by Messrs. Shapurjee and Thakurdas, appeared for the plaintiff, who claimed to recover Rs. 16,000 on a promissory note dated the 2nd January 1878, which was signed by two of the directors and bore the common seal of the company. A decree was given for the plaintiff for Rs. 16,000, with interest and costs. Mr. Macpherson, instructed by Mr. J. C. Cama for the company, applied for a stay of proceedings on the ground that the company had gone into voluntary liquidation. Execution of the decree was stayed with liberty to the plaintiff to apply on notice for leave to execute it.

THE EAST INDIAN SHOOTING MATCH.

During last week, several of the Bombay Volunteers attended the Corris range to shoot for the prizes offered by the officers of the East Indian Railway Volunteers, and which are open to Volunteers and Soldiers also throughout India. The distances to be fired at are 200 and 500 yards, seven shots at each, range finder allowed. The highest possible score is 56—28 at each range. The only Bombay Volunteer who succeeded in making a score which is likely to come anywhere amongst the prize winners was Private Louis Frank, C. Company, who put on 27 at each range, total 56. The next best here was Color Sergeant Jefferies, who scored 51 (27 and 24). Private Whitehead (E. Company) made two 27s. at 200 yards, but did not get on at all well at 500.

THE BOMBAY VOLUNTEERS.

THERE was a fair turn out of the Volunteers on Saturday, though not so good as we should like to see at the Commanding Officer's parades just now, the annual inspection being so near at hand. The field stats was as follows:—Field Officers 3 (Colonel Sexton, Majors Trambull and Bayley), Staff Officers 3 (Lieutenant Dunn, Adjt., Captain Crocket, Paymaster, and Quarter Master Pearce,) Captains 5; Lieutenants 10; Staff Sergeants 4; Sergeants 18; Rank and File 138; Buglers 5; Band 26; Total, 212 of all ranks. The regiment assembled as usual at the Town Hall at a quarter to five, and marched in four companies to the Oval, where men and officers were hard at work for an hour. They marched past in column and quarter column, and at the double; went through the musical and firing exercises under command of the Senior Major, and the bayonet exercises under command of the Junior Major; performed various battalion movements also under command of the Majors; and were then broken up into companies and given a good turn at company drill under their company officers. Throughout they worked very satisfactorily, and at the close the Colonel congratulated them warmly on their improvement. We hope to see even a better turn out next Saturday.

PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

THE P. AND O. Co.'s s.s. TEHERAN, Captain A. H. Johnson, will sail to-day for Southampton with the Europe Mails and the following passengers:—

FOR SOUTHAMPTON.

Mr and Mrs A O Hutchison and two children	Mr Chadwick
Mr G Noad	Mr Cooke
Mrs Inman and child	Mr E Hay
Capt H W Jones	Mr C N Bamlgotte
Mr R T Roskilly	Mr R G Dunlop
Mr A Wilkinson	Mr A Haden
Mr and Mrs Spensley and three children	A Lady
	Mr G Gillies
	Mr Geo Newman.

FOR BRINDISI.

Mr and Mrs W S Crosswell	Mr C A Kelly
Mr Miller	Surgeon Genl H M Cannon

FOR VENICE.

Mr W Riddell	Mrs Sturt
Mr J R Bromley	Mr J W Campbell
Mr Q H Scott	Capt H R Shelley
Mr and Mrs Presswell	Capt L B Irwin.
Mr A Austin	

FOR ADEN.

Mr G Hoosein	Mr J B Perera
Lieut E W Marett	Mrs DeCosta and two children

FOR SUEZ.

Lieut Col A H Davis	Mr C Taschech.

BOMBAY GYMKHANA ATHLETIC SPORTS.

MONDAY—FEBRUARY 10.

No. 1—4-30 p.m.—3 Mile Walking.
2—5 p.m.—100 Yards.
3—5-10 p.m.—Putting the Shot.
4—5-30 p.m.—Wide Jump.
5—6 p.m.—Half Mile.

TUESDAY—FEBRUARY 11.

6—4-30 p.m.—Quarter Mile.
7—4-40 p.m.—Throwing the Hammer.
8—5-10 p.m.—Hurdle Race for Sepoys.
9—5-30 p.m.—200 Yards for Soldiers.
10—5-50 p.m.—Steeplechase.

WEDNESDAY—FEBRUARY 12.

11—4-30 p. m.—Throwing the Cricket Ball.
12—5 p.m.—One Mile Flat Race.
13—5-15 p.m.—High Jump.
14—5-20 p.m.—100 yards for Sailors and Marines.
15—5-45 p.m.—120 yards—Hurdles.
16—6 p.m.—Quarter Mile Handicap.

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, open, to members of the Bombay Gymkhana, commissioned officers of the Army and Navy, members of the Civil Service and of the following Clubs:—Byculla, Bombay, Bengal, United Service, Madras, Western India, Sind, Allahabad. —Entrance Rs. 5.

No. 16 open to members of Gymkhana only.
8 " H. M.'s, H. C. and Mun. Mn of Native Regiments. Prizes, Rs. 20, 10, 5.
9 " " European Regiments.
Prizes, Rs. 35, 20, 10.
14 " Sailors and Marines on board any of H. M.'s Ships. Prizes, Rs. 35, 20, 10.

Entries with colours to be sent to Honorary Secretary, 34, Marine Lines, before the 1st proximo.

The above is subject to such alteration as Committee may see fit.

C. YOUNG, Hon. Secy.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY COLABA.

BOMBAY, 24th January 1879.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 6 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected at 32 deg. Fah.	29·899
Temperature of the air	77·9
Wet Bulb Thermometer	68·8
Dew Point	64·3
Relative humidity of Air	·633
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded=9).	0·0
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m.).....	86·8
Minimum do. do. (read at 10 a.m.) ...	69·0
General Direction of Wind.....	NNE, NE, ENE, NE, NW
	NNW, N.
Movement of wind in 24 hours	250

THE MADRAS PLANTERS.—We are glad to learn that Mr. Gordon, the Chief Commissioner, has consented to Mr. Harman going to Munzerabad, at the request of the planters to report on leaf disease. Planters in general in South India will look out anxiously for the results of his visit. Mr. Harman will not start for Munzerabad until after the Famine Commissioners have visited Bangalore. Mr. Harman will no doubt be able to give valuable evidence before the Commission, more particularly as he recently took an agricultural tour through some of the Districts in the Province.—*Bangalore Examiner.*

KIDNAPPING.—A case of kidnapping at present under the investigation of the Calcutta police, will shortly come on for hearing before the Hon. Mr. Syed Amir Ali, the facts of which are briefly these. The accused Madun Mohun Bonnerjee Beebee, it appears, on Sunday last, sent their daughter to the residence of one Mr. Bernard, and induced Mr. Bernard's step-daughter, Miss Theodora Verbinia Smoit, to accompany her to the house of the former. Miss Smoit, who is about 16 years of age, not suspecting any mischief, complied with the request. On arriving at their destination the female defendant compelled Miss Smoit to change her English clothes and put on a Mahomedan girl's dress, and then removed her to the Mahomedan girls' School where Mahomed Ali is alleged to have criminally assaulted her. Mrs. Bernard finding her child not returning home on Sunday night, communicated the matter to the police, who succeeded in tracing her in company with the male defendant, who since then is reported to have absconded. Nundee Beebee is at present in custody of the police.—*Statesman.*

OPENING OF THE NEW R. C. CATEDRAL AT ALLAHABAD.

On Sunday, the 2nd February, the feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin, the solemn opening of the fine new church at Allahabad is to take place. Many circumstances will combine to render the ceremony one of the most imposing ever witnessed in Northern India. As the Church, which is to bear the name of St. Joseph, is to be the Cathedral of the Bishop Vicar Apostolic of Patna, His Lordship the Right Rev. Dr. Tosi, O. C., has invited many Bishops to assist at the ceremony, and the invitation has been accepted by His Grace the Archbishop of Calcutta and their Lordships the Bishop Vicar Apostolic of Agra, the Bishop Vicar Apostolic of Vizagapatam and the Vicar Apostolic of Bombay. His Grace the Archbishop of Goa, Primate of the Indies, was also invited, but he could not possibly accept it, owing to the visitation of the Churches in Salsette which must be made before Easter. The Archbishop of Calcutta will Pontificate at the opening ceremony, and Bishop Meurin will preach. As to the church itself, we believe it to be a *chef-d'oeuvre* of ecclesiastical art in the Roman style. It has taken fully five years in building, and no expense has been spared that seemed desirable for its beauty and decoration. Indeed, all the interior furniture of the edifice has been sought for in the studios of the first artists in Italy, and expense has been quite a secondary thought, provided there were grandeur of design and beauty. The oil painting over the High Altar represents the Patronage of St. Joseph; it measures 18 feet by 14; its cost is Rs. 2,500; the artist is Professor Guardassoni, of Bologna. Each of the three altars, one on each side and the High Altar in the middle, is of marble of Serravezza, in Tuscany, at a total cost of Rs. 3,500; the artists were Messrs. Bigongiari and Morgilis. Over each of the side altars is a statue, one representing the Immaculate Conception, the other St. Joseph; both were purchased at the Exhibition in Rome at the time of the Vatican Council and together cost Rs. 1,000. They are the work of Messrs. Gratiani of Faenza. The Pontifical Vestments came also from the Exhibition at Rome, they cost Rs. 2,200, and are from the House Martini at Milan. The Tabernacle is of brass gilt, and was made at Rome by the Papal goldsmith; the price was Rs. 600. The silver lamp for the High Altar is a beautiful work, made in Rome, at a cost of Rs. 2,000, and is the gift of a Family at Allahabad, the same who gave the High Altar. A large stained-glass window, representing Saints Peter and Paul, and standing over the High Altar, is the gift of a pious person of Munich. The Altar-railing is of white marble from Naples. The Baptismal Font is of Alabaster, worked by Messrs. Giovanoni and Co., of Volterra, who have also made the ceiling and the mosaic-like floor throughout the Cathedral. The Stations of the Cross are oleographs from Milan. The harmonium-organ is from the late Paris Exhibition, by Messrs. Rodolphe et Cie of Paris, it has cost Rs. 3,000. The bell, made in Rome by the best artists, cost Rs. 4,000. Such is the inventory of the furniture which His Lordship Bishop Tosi has gathered up to adorn his new Cathedral.—*Bombay Catholic Examiner.*

INDIAN ART.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PIONEER.

SIR,—Captain Cole, in his letter that appeared in your issue of the 18th, has very justly observed that decorative arts arise from architecture. So long, therefore, as the D. P. W. remains unreformed, any isolated efforts on the part of individuals can have but a very slight influence in retarding the progress of artistic degeneration. And what ground is there for hoping that any such reform will ever take place when we find the most influential member of the department with an arrogance which is only equalled by the blissful unconsciousness openly stating before a distinguished audience in an offhand manner as an indisputable matter of fact that architecture among natives is a lost art which can only be recovered by giving them opportunities to improve under professional training in an English school. Nothing could be further from the truth. In England, architecture has become almost entirely imitative and artificial, but in India it is still a living and spontaneous growth. Time after time the heavy roller of the D. P. W. has been passed over it, leveling it with the ground and bruising and mangling its every member, but it has ventured to put forth, but the root still survives, and with a little care, or even if only left to itself, it is capable of springing up again, and of rapidly developing into a strong and beautiful tree. At the present day, the only true patrons of indigenous art as a class are the conservative middle-classes, the small native burghs. In almost every one of the small out-of-the-way towns in any district there will be some wealthy trader, who has spent a few thousand rupees in building himself a house or in enlarging one bequeathed to him by his ancestors. He invariably employs an architect entirely unprofessional, who generally has to work out his old traditional principle, and generally produces as the result a highly effective street front with much delicate and carefully executed carving both in wood and stone. In the district of Bulandshahr, for example, there are a great number of wealthy and liberally-minded landed proprietors, who have gone in for building large houses either for their own residence, or for the reception of their English friends; but as specimens of architecture not one of them can be compared for a moment with what has been done by the banias. In the same district there are also several substantial and convenient arrangements built under the superintendence of a former collector, but here again the elevation has been designed on a debased English model, with a careful avoidance of any oriental feature, and each school bears such a ludicrous likeness to the little conventicles in the quiet streets of any manufacturing town, that a stranger fully expects to see the name of Salem or Bethseda inscribed above the portal, and wonders how Evangelical methodism has gained such a footing in the land. Thus both the *raises* and the English officials conspire together against Indian architec

SALES BY AUCTION.

CRAWFORD AND COMPANY,
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NOTICE.

THE SALE of Messrs. M. MORTON and Co.'s stock in trade will be resumed TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, at 1 o'clock p.m., commencing with Lot No. 830.

USUAL AUCTION SALE.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, the 27th instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms—

10 Bales grey shirtings.
10 " American drills.
2 cases of red chints, 28 yards.
3 " red ground prints, 24 yards.
10 " orange jaconets.

A square Pianoforte by J. G. Doring and Co., Hamburg, in good order.

6 wrought iron fireproof safes 24 inches.
6 " " " " 26 "
6 " " " " 28 "
6 " " " " 30 "

On account of the concerned—
4 cases saffron.

By order of the Administrator General the effects of the late Mr. William Davis, comprising chiffonier, chairs, cot, tables, teapoys, plated spoons and forks, table knives and forks, candlesticks, carpenters table with tools, wearing apparel, and sundry things.

On account of the concerned—
9 Dozen Pints and 27 doz. 1 pints Blackwood's blue and black ink and 3 doz. steel pens, ink and red and black ink powders.

By order of Khoja Hassumbhoy Bullobhoy, and on account and at the risk of Thacker Coverji Lukmidas.

CASH 8 937—943—967-59—972-74—8 Bales 400 P. Grey Shirtings 81 lbs. By order of Messrs. H. F. Soares and Co. and on account and at the risk of Moradally Goolamally.

MG—5 bales brown papers.

At 2 P.M.

1 Light serviceable buggy.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, the 28th instant, sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at No. 4, Tamarind Lane, Fort, close to the Royal Hotel, the valuable and handsome household furniture, plated, glass and porcelain wares, &c., the property of Captain A. McDermott, the same comprises cut glassware, dinner, dessert, and breakfast services, plated spoons and forks, waiters, cruet-stand, pickle frame, butter coolers, bread basket, table and chamber candlesticks, table cutlery by Mappin and Rogers, and handsomely carved and French polished furniture, such as dining, drawing room pier, washand and dressing tables, conversation and reclining couches, drawingroom, easy, folding arm, and without arm chairs, double camp cots clothes dresses, chest of drawers, wardrobe, chiffonier, hatstand, whatnot, sideboard, dressing glasses table ornaments, flower-vases, hanging argand lustres, pictures, bath dispense, and cookroom furniture and utensils, &c.

Now on view.

SALE OF 226 SHARES IN THE BANK OF BOMBAY.

By the direction of the mortgagee, and on account and at the risk of the mortgagor, Mr. Cassumbhoy Dhurumsey, Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., Auctioneers, will sell by Public Auction at their rooms on THURSDAY, the 30th instant, at 2 o'clock P.M.,

226 Shares in the Bank of Bombay.

The shares will be put up for sale in small lots to suit the convenience of intending purchasers. Conditions of sale will be made known at the time of sale.

SALE OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY IN COWASJEE PATELL STREET, FORT.

On SATURDAY, the 1st day of February, at 4 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on the premises, by order of the Mortgagee, on account and at the risk of the Mortgagor, Dossabhoy Pallonjee Cama, now an insolvent, in pursuance of the power of sale given in the Indenture of Mortgage, dated the 1st day of April 1875—

All that piece of land or ground, together with the messuage, or dwelling-house standing thereon, situate on the west side of Cowasjee Patell Street, in the sub-district of Fort and Colaba, in the Town of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 133 square yards or thereabouts, registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 207, and in those of the Collector of House Assessment under No. 32, and bounded on the north and west by the property now belonging to Rustomjee Framjee Borakjee, on the east by the said Cowasjee Patell Street, and on the south by the house of Heerjee Bomonjee Wodinna, and which said premises have formerly been in the occupation of Cowasjee Dossabhoy Bottlewalla and others.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to the undersigned.

CRAWFORD & Co.

Bombay, 27th January 1879.

BENNETT AND COMPANY,
No. 4, FORBES STREET.

AUCTION SALE of excess, unclaimed, and refused goods at the G. I. P. R. Station, Grove Bunder

On MONDAY, the 27th instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the above-mentioned place, a quantity of excess, unclaimed, and refused goods, a large quantity of waste paper.

Also,

2 Cane kerosine oil.
1 Tin can containing do.
1 do do pure water.

BONA-FIDE SALE.

On WEDNESDAY, the 29th instant, and THURSDAY, the 30th inst. at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Tarwaddy, Malabar Hill the valuable and handsome blackwood English polished household furniture, best plated-ware by "Elkington," rich crockery and glassware, one English-built four-seated C-spring brouche by "Laurie and Marner," one English-built C-spring brougham by "Robinson, Cook, and Haldway," a pair of very handsome fast-trotting bay Australian horses, about 16-2, a handsome silver grey Pegu pony (if not previously disposed of by private sale), a large collection of choice and rare plants in tubs and pots, &c., &c., the property of the Hon'ble James Gibbs, the same comprises rich thin engine pattern glassware, handsome dinner, desert and tea services, silverware, such as gilt hobbing and tea spoons, muffineers, sugar-basins, &c., best plated ware, such as hot water, venison and curry dishes containing 6 vegetable and breakfast dishes, soup tureens, sets of handsome electro-plated and gilt table ornaments, teasets, pickle, liqueur and egg frames, sugar basins, water and claret jugs, sardine dishes, preserve pots, icebuckets, butter pots, toast rack, wine wagons, tea trays, salvers, mahogany cases containing handsome fish knives and forks with mother-o-pearl handles, plated dessert knives and forks, table, piano, and chamber candlesticks, &c., cutlery such as mahogany cases containing table and dessert knives and forks, carvers, &c., handsome well seasoned G.F. elaborately and elegantly carved household furniture, such as a set of blackwood dining table in 8 pieces for 26 persons, pier, circular, oblong, side, wine oval, tripod writing, dressing and washing and office tables, teapoys, wardrobes, centre ottomans, easy, reclining couches, bookstands, dining and drawing room chairs, large pier glasses, ruby and gold flower vases, Parian figures, 12 light hanging chandeliers, 3, 4 and 5 light hanging argand lamps handsome brass and iron four poster bedsteads, hanging and table kerosine lamps, clothes and gown presses, chests of drawers, dressing and cheval glasses, rich Brussels carpets, Persian towels, China bathing tubs, dispense articles, cooking utensils, books, plants, &c.

AT 2 P. M.

1 English-built 4 seated C-spring barouche by Laurie and Marner.
1 Do. Do. C-spring brougham by Robinson, Cook, and Haldway.
1 Mail-phaeton convertible into Waggonette, built by Silk and Son, of Long Acre.
1 Pair handsome fast-trotting dark bay Australian horses, aged 8 and 6 years, nearly 16 hands, sets of single and double harness.
1 Silver grey pegu ponay.

Catalogues are published and the property is now on view.

The plants will be sold at 6-30 a.m. on the same day.

On MONDAY, the 10th February, at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Parel, the valuable and handsome French-polished household furniture, plated, glass, and porcelain ware, one bay Arab pony, 2 Gujarat cows in calves, plants, &c., the property of J. H. EDWARD, Esq.

Catalogues will be published and the property will be on view four days before the day of sale.

BENNETT & Co.

Bombay, 27th January 1879.

S. SHRICRISTNAJEE AND COMPANY.

SALE OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY.

Messrs. S. SHRICRISHNAJEE and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 1st February, at the premises at 4½ p.m., by order of mortgagee, Poorshotum Pootlejee, and on account and at the risk of the mortgagor, Anundeebai, widow of the late Baboo Arjoon, Ramjee, Baboojee and Mahadeo Baboojee.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground forming a portion of the land or cart commonly known as Kudwali Waddy, with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house, situate in Girgaum, or the northern side of the Gamdavee Road, in the sub-district of Bhuleshwar, containing by admeasurement 1736 80th square yards and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 329 and 344, and assessed by the Collector of Assessment under No. 66, and standing in the name of the said Ramjee Baboojee, is bounded as follows: on the east by the portion of the said Oart belonging to Nusserwanjee Muncherjee Pudoo, on the west by the property of the said Poorshotum Pootajee, on the south by the property of Bhasker Bhawoo, and on the North by the property of Govind Narrayen, and which said houses and premises have been and are now in the occupation of the said mortgagors.

SALE OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY AT CHOWPATTY.

Messrs. S. SHRICRISTNAJEE and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the premises, at 4 p.m., on SATURDAY, the 1st proximo, by order of mortgagee, Pahooji Putlajee, and on account and at the risk of the mortgagor, Hurrichund Morobs, deceased, and his heirs.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground in the cart, commonly called or known by the name of Bhorbebhat, with the messuage, tenement, or dwelling-house situate at Chowpatty Road, in the sub-district of Bhuleshwar, containing by admeasurement three hundred and fifteen square yards and seven-ninths of a square yard, and bounded as follows:—on the east by the house of Bhicoo Jugonathjee, on the west by the property of Wishwanath Atmaram, on the north by the passage of the said cart, and on the south by the cart of Talpuhoor Dowlatgur, and which said premises are in the possession of the said Hurichund Morobs, and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 344.

S. SHRICRISTNAJEE & Co.

Bombay, 27th January 1879.

MENESSE AND COMPANY

AUCTION SALE OF LANDED PROPERTY IN BENGALEE-POORA STREET.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, the 27th instant, at 4 P.M., Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction on the premises on account and risk of the mortgagor, Abdool Rahimon bin Shaik Budoo, and by order of Pestonjee Bazonjee and Custom Jee Ramjee Administrators to the estate of the late Bazonjee Furdoonjee, the mortgagee, the following landed property:—

All that piece of Government ground with the dwelling house standing thereon, situate without the Fort of Bombay in Bengalee poora street, in the sub-district of Mandvee, assessed by the Collector of Assessment under No. 29, and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 430, containing by admeasurement about 84 7/9 square yards and bounded on the east by a public gutter, on the west by Bengalee poora street, on the north by the house of Hoosain Balla Rajpoorker, and on the south by the house Ameen of Vullud Bohamekee.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the undersigned.

AUCTION SALE of household furniture, &c., on Esplanade in the Tent opposite the Gymkhana.

On WEDNESDAY, the 29th instant, at 1 P.M., Messrs MENESSE and Co will sell by Public Auction on Esplanade in Tent opposite the Gymkhana, the household furniture of a gentleman leaving the Presidency, the same consisting of carved blackwood cloth press, arm chairs, camp cots, washing, dressing, and camp tables, chest of drawers, carpet, rugs, pictures, &c., &c.

AUCTION SALE of household furniture at Colaba, near the Hemp and Jute Mill.

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Rudesheimer	"	30 "
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Warm Suits .....30 to 40	0	Sheets, per pair.....	9 8	Cork Mattrasses	23 8	Nail Do	0 12
Boys' Sailor Suits	9 8	Pillow Cases, each ..1-4 to	2 8	Cotton do	15 0	Hair Brushes and Combs in Pigskin case..9-8 to	12 8
Overcoats and Ulsters ... from.....35 to 65	0	Blankets.....each	10 8	Rug Straps ..... 1-8 to	2 8	Razors, Ivory Handles ..	3 2
Dressing Gowns from 9 to	20 0	Long Rugs Scotch Mauds.....10 to	10 8	Waterproof Coats	10 0	Do. Strops..... 3-8 to	4 0
Pyjamas	5 8	Sheets or Quilts.....	6 0	60-Inch Drab Twill Waterproof Sheeting	6 0	Nail Scissers..... 1-8 to	1 8
Oxford Shirts, Collar attached	6 0	Ladies' Wool Shawls	22 0	42-Inch White Waterproof	4 8	Briar Root Pipes.....	1 8
White do.	6 0	Portmanteaus or Overland Trunks .....12-8 to	23 0	Linen Faced Collars doz..	0 12	Tobacco Pouches	1 8
French Cambric do., Collar attached	6 0	Solid Leather do	49 0	Linen Faced Cuffs per doz.	1 8	Champagne Taps.....	1 8
English Cambric do	4 0	Extra Large do	75 0	Linen Cuffs per doz.....	13 8	Pocket Knives	1 8
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Silk and Wool do	8 0	Extra large do	24 0	Cambric Handkerchiefs,	0 0	Shaving do Stick.....	0 1
Spun Silk	10 0	Gladstone Bags.....	35 0	Warm Gloves.....	1 8	Lloyd's Euxesis	1 4
Gents' Under Vests 8 to	6 0	Ladies' Hand Bags	7 8	Children's Gloves.....1 to	1 8	Oriental Tooth Paste....	1 8
Bathing Drawers	2 0	Travelling Writing Cases fitted	11	Mitts.....	1 8	Fragrant Florelline.....	1 8
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Caps ..... 6-8 to	8 8	English Feather do.....	7 8	Sponges	2 8	Chubb's Despatch Boxes Fitted	60 0
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